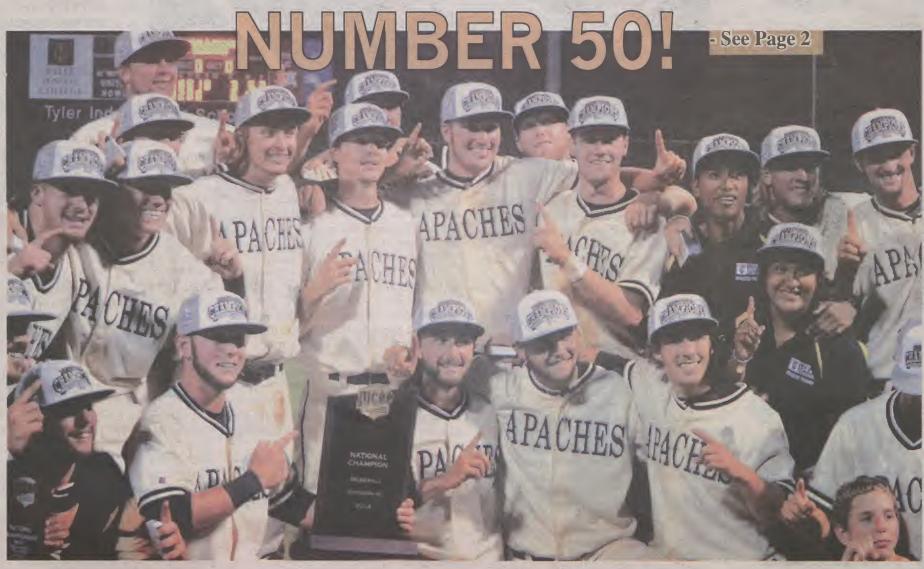
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Tim Drain appointed head of national athletics organization for 2014-15



On our turf

NEW PAINT JOB

The practice football field looks like new with TJC's name and logo adorning the field

Photo by Cory McCoy

By Nathan Wright **Guest Editor**

Tyler Junior College Athletic Director Dr. Tim Drain, who is entering his 16th year in that position, first joined the National Alliance of Two Year College Athletic Administrators to bring some ideas back to TJC.

He never imagined he would eventually end up as the President of the organization, which oversees every two-year athletic program in the nation.

That is exactly what happened as earlier this summer, Drain was bumped from First Vice President to President for the 2014-2015 athletic year.

"It is intriguing because I joined the organization just to try to do my job better and bring back things to Tyler that I could be better at," Drain said. "I really had no intentions of going elsewhere, I just wanted to do my job better.

"I didn't go campaigning for it. I had two colleagues that thought I would be good for it. I really am humbled to have

NATYCAA was formed 27 years ago to oversee all two-year colleges in the nation. The National Junior College Athletic Association currently governs all but California, Washington and Oregon schools. NATYCAA picks up those schools.

Drain has moved up the administration ladder the last few years, beginning with the Third Vice President, then the Second Vice President and last year he served as the First Vice President.

Officers serve one-year terms.

"I am the voice of our organization for a year," Drain said. "NATYCAA publishes a magazine every month, or maybe quarterly, and I will write an article for that. The First Vice President organizes the Professional Development meetings so I did that last year."

That meeting is held annually and while last year, he organized it, this year he will oversee it. He called it the best way to learn about the concerns of other

administrators.

Drain estimated the number of schools in the organization to be more than 800 and would love to see that many at this year's meeting and to be involved during the year.

As he enters his 16th year at TJC, Drain brings a wealth of athletic success from Tyler to his new position. In those years, he has seen several of TJC's 50 national championships. But there isn't a single event or title that is more special than the others.

His best moment, he said, spans an entire season. And it is the one that just ended with the baseball team winning the school's milestone championship at Mike Carter Field.

"There are a lot of things I can look back on and have great pride in," Drain said. "Last year was unbelievable. We had 10 of our 11 sports finish in the Top 10 nationally. We had a 2.86 cumulative GPA, which is the highest since we started recording back in 1989.

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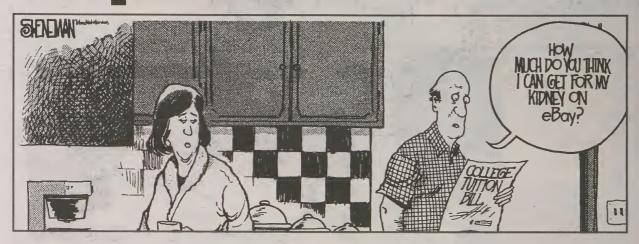
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Opinion



We need feminism now more than ever

Column

Women are bad. They're evil, manipulative, cold, crazy and make no sense. Or so you'd think after hearing from a lot of men lately. It seems to be a near daily experience since Elliot Rodgers killed six people for perceived slights against him by women.

Instead of people recoiling with anger and disgust at the things this obviously mentally unstable young man posted all over the web, he has found support. "The Friendzone Army" is just one term that the collective group of men bashing women use to refer to themselves.

Unfortunately, they are fundamentally mistaken in many aspects of their ideology. Ideology that is dangerous and actively encourages attacks on women.

A woman has every right to decide who she is or isn't going to date all by herself. What you think she should want or need, which happens to be you, is irrelevant because she is a fully formed human being capable of making her own decisions and is under no obligation to explain them to you.

So, does this make her a bad person? Heck no. It makes her a normal human being whose decisions are based on her own personal history and tastes. She doesn't owe you anything. Turning



Cory McCoy Managing Editor

on her is not going to make you more attractive and spewing vitriol is not going to make anyone else take your side.

You are an adult. Rejection is part of life. This does not give you the right to go after all women. It's not ok to try and slut shame her when she does date a guy you don't like, and let's face it, you don't like any guy she dates.

A google search for Elliot Rodgers will turn up countless articles, but for every article decrying his heinous crimes and motives there is a blog post that has somehow made the top results page defending him, some describing the news coverage as bullying Rodgers in death. Some of them even go so far as to call his rambling manifesto an "autobiography." The people over at MGTOW.com (Men Going Their Own Way) have turned misogyny into an art form. The resulting clash has been described as a culture war by the New York Post.

The situations I described here are taken from Rodgers' own

manifesto and videos.

If you're truly nothing like him, then stop using the same flawed logic and reasoning. Act like an adult and move on with your life if someone turns you down. Women make just as

good friends as men do, so reevaluate the way you see them and you just might be glad you stopped looking at them like objects that are only there for your own satisfaction.

The National Institutes for Health (NIH.gov) found that educating men about the very real consequences of sexual harassment and assault also reduces the likelihood that a male will engage in sexual harassment or believe the myths perpetrated by people like Elliot Rodgers and his defenders

In the wake of the USB shootings, a social media campaign called #YesAllWomen was created to allow women to tell their stories. Searching the hashtag on twitter results in millions of responses ranging from heartwrenching stories to support in the form of #NotAllMen and hateful responses from people who seem to think they aren't the ones causing the problem they're saying doesn't actually exist.

Editorial

We all struggle from time to time

Another year at TJC brings with it a new set of adventures and challenges for every student. College is supposed to be the time of your life, but each and every one of you will face obstacles along the way. At some point, you may feel overwhelmed and ready to give up.

Don't. There are so many reasons why sticking with it during the tough times is the right thing to do. It builds character, you'll learn things about yourself you wouldn't have otherwise, the longterm benefits outweigh the short term relief, etc...

You may have noticed that there are a whole lot of nontraditional students at TJC. One common thread is that many are returning to school after a prolonged absence. Well, one thing they probably didn't know 10 years ago was that dropping their classes will affect whether or not they can continue their education through financial aid.

The Satisfactory Academic Progress program that the Department of Education holds colleges to is a percentage based (decider?). That means if you leave after just one semester, it is going to be much harder to get back in school without paying out of pocket.

Of course, students are eligible for an appeal, but that is not a guarantee. It's far safer to finish the semester before making major life changes. That way, you'll have gained some perspective about your individual situation and you won't need to worry about an entire schedule full of withdrawals counting against you when you are ready to return to school.

The United States has the third highest graduation rates for 55-64 year olds in the world. There's good chance that if you leave college, you will return at some point in your life.

A 2010 study by Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development found that the US comes in dead last in graduation rates for students during their first stint in college. One third of all college students are over 25 and 40 percent of community college students hold full time jobs. It is harder than ever for students to get their degrees and better their lives. This is doubly true for nontraditional students, many of whom have already started their family or have no one to fall back on.

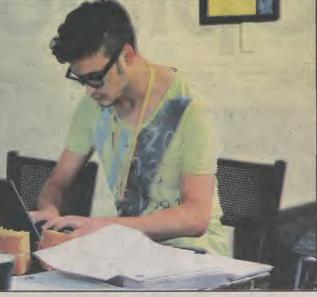
So when it comes time to face your decision, keep in mind that persevering until the end of the semester may mean a huge increase in lifetime earnings along with graduating on track. You can do it, TJC has the resources to help.

If you have questions about how dropping a class will affect your SAP, please see your academic advisor.

campus SCENE

Leaving the nest





Photos by Brian Rhoads

EARLY ACCESS Students who participated in the Ya-a-Te leadership retreat move into the dorms a few days early. Residential Advisor Evan Koekemoer checks students into Bateman Hall on Aug. 19, 2014. (Above)

Freshman McKenna Cherry unpacks her belongings with some help from her mother Julie Cherry. (Left)

Coming Soon!



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THE BIG HOUSE The Robert M. Rogers Nursing & Health Sciences Center finally has its walls up. The new building will open in Spring 2015.





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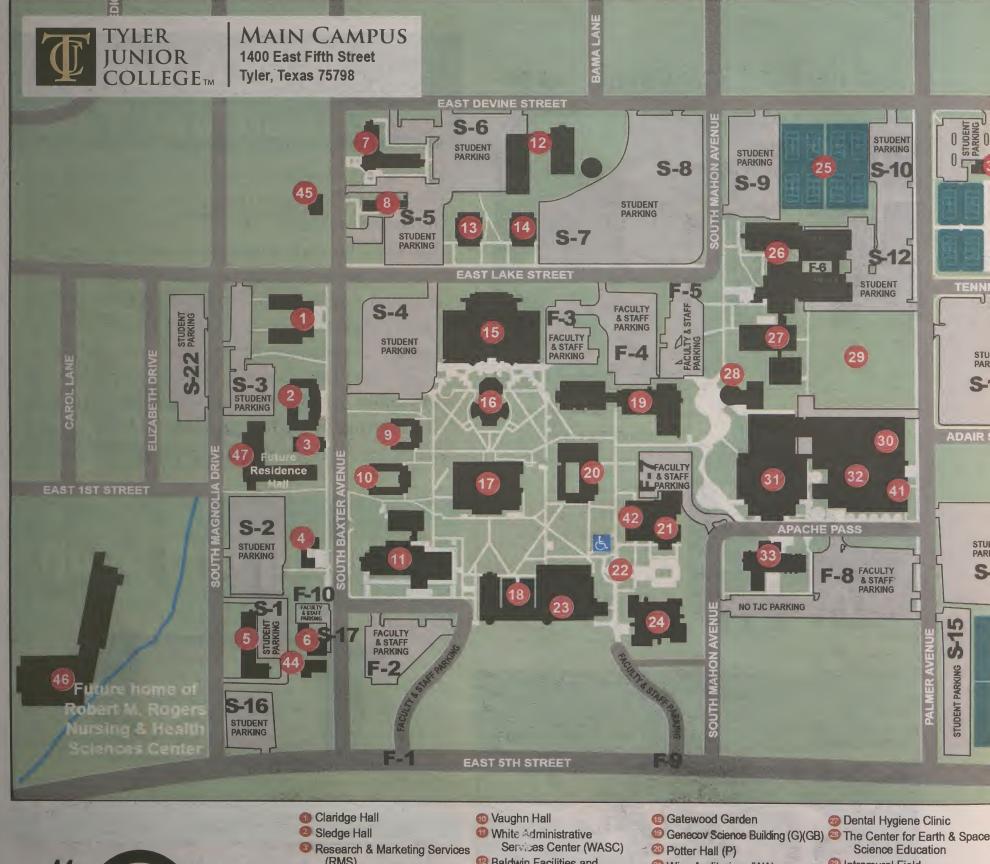
The Apache drumline gets in some early practice before the semester starts on August 20, 2014.

The band practices its paces in the summer heat. (Above and Left)

The Apache Color Guard practices its routine on the intramural field. (Below)









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Apache Football aims to repeat last season's success

By Brian Rhoads news editor

Coming off of their best season in 25 years, the Apache football team finished last season at 9-2. They lost to Navarro in the semifinals of the SWJCFC playoffs, but would go on to win the Football Capital of Kansas Bowl 47-21 against Garden City Community College.

However, the momentum from last season may be in jeopardy. The loss of the entire offensive line to transfers, as well as a massive influx of new freshman will certainly make this season a challenge for the team as a whole.

"We have 68 freshmen on our roster, so it's new names and new faces," said Head Coach Danny Palmer. "The offensive line is not intact yet, but the defense is real solid. The guys we got coming back are on defense, and not a lot on offense."

There's still the question of a starting halfback, as well as who exactly will be leading the team on the field this season at quarterback. The chance to lead this year's team is split between three prospects. Max Staver. Tevon Muse and Sederian Copeland will be taking part in scrimmages to determine who will start for the

It seems the schedule will also be a challenge for the Apache football team this season.

"We're the road-warriors because we're travelling five times," Palmer said. "It's the biggest challenge I've had since I've been here."

The first game for the Apaches will be on the road against Trinity Valley Community College on Aug. 30.

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Full coverage of the 2014 Baseball National Championship by Nathan Wright

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Baseball clocks TJC's 50th Title



By Nathan Wright **Guest Editor**

Members of the TJC athletic program had spent all last year hoping to qualify for a 50th national championship.

However, the volleyball, men's soccer teams and both tennis teams all finished as the national runners-

So with one strike left, so to speak, it was only fitting that the baseball team made TJC history.

Playing the number one team in the country for the second time in three days, the Apaches weathered a two and a half-hour rain delay and defeated Cumberland (N.J.) 6-3 Wednesday night at Mike Carter

When the last out was recorded, the team rushed the pitcher's mound and celebrated its first national title since 2007, and the school's 50th championship.

"It's hard to put into words," TJC Head Coach Doug Wren said.

Cumberland took a 1-0 lead in the top of the first, but the Apaches looked ready to respond in the bottom of the inning when Zane Otten tripled with one out.

But with the next batter at the plate, the rain began to fall again. The teams waited another two and a half hours before resuming the HOME, SWEET HOME

For the first time since 2007, Apache Baseball brought home the national championship. The win also marks TJC's milestone 50th national championship.

Photo by Brian Rhoads

When play resumed, tournament MVP Anthony Soriano singled home Otten to tie the game at 1-1.

The Dukes retook the lead with a run in the top of the third, but the Apaches again answered in the bottom of the frame.

Tim Hunter walked with one out and scored on a triple by Cody Broussard to tie the game at 2-2. Broussard scored on an error to give TJC a 3-2 lead and one the Apaches would not relinquish.

TJC took a 4-2 lead in the fourth when Hunter doubled home Connor Wyre and then made it 6-2 in the sixth when both Hunter and Gunnar Quick had RBI singles.

Cumberland added one more run in the top of the ninth, but the Apaches' lead was already secure. With that, the celebration began.

"This has got to be the best experience I have been a part of in my life," Soriano said. "I'm speechless. I'm still in shock.'

TJC finished the season with a 42-7 record, and was undefeated in the post-season, sweeping its way through both the District C Tournament and the NJCAA Division III World Series.

The Apaches also won the World Series in 2007, the first of eight tournaments held at the Mike Collier Field in Tyler.

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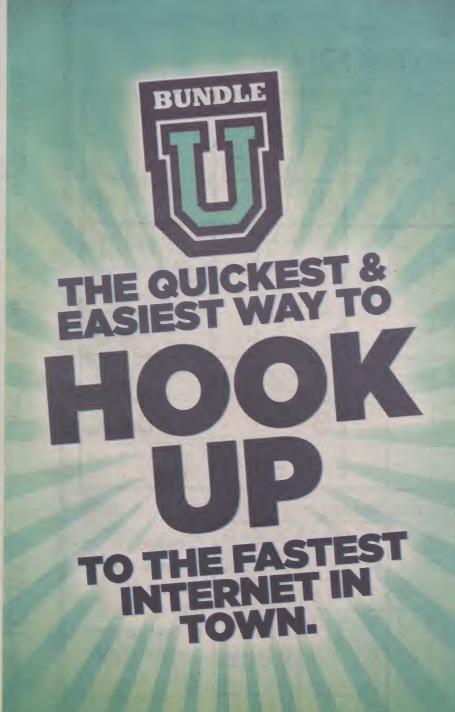
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